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Filing at a Glance

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SVF(GRP2)

Filing Type: Form Reviewer(s): Linda Bird

Authors: June Stracener, Vickie

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Date Submitted: 05/12/2012 Disposition Status: Approved-

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Disposition Date: 05/21/2012

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General Information

Project Name: Status of Filing in Domicile: Authorized **Project Number:** Date Approved in Domicile: 03/09/2012

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval **Domicile Status Comments:**

Explanation for Combination/Other: Market Type: Group

Submission Type: New Submission Group Market Size: Small and Large

Group Market Type: Employer Overall Rate Impact:

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Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

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TRANSAMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(NAIC No. 86231; FEIN No. 39-0989781)

AMEND-07 SVF(GRP2) Amendment to Contract AMEND-07 SAMC(GRP2) Amendment to Contract

Deemer Date:

Submitted By: June Stracener

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The only variable text within each amendment is the Plan name and the Contract Number, which are identified with [brackets].

State Narrative:

Company and Contact

Filing Contact Information

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Little Rock, AR 72201-3525

Filing Company Information

(This filing was made by a third party - MWSGW01)

Transamerica Life Insurance Company CoCode: 86231 State of Domicile: Iowa 4333 Edgewood Road NE Group Code: 468 Company Type: Life Insurer

Cedar Rapids, IA 52499 Group Name: AEGON USA Inc. State ID Number:

(319) 355-8511 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 39-0989781

Filing Fees

Fee Required? Yes
Fee Amount: \$100.00
Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation: Arkansas charges \$ 50/form. There are 2 forms included in this filing. The fees charged by

lowa, the domestic state, are strictly retaliatory.

Per Company: No

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COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

Transamerica Life Insurance Company \$100.00 05/12/2012 59132346

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Correspondence Summary

Dispositions

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Approved- Closed	Linda Bird	05/21/2012	05/21/2012

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Implementation Date:

Status: Approved-Closed

Comment:

Rate data does NOT apply to filing.

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Schedule	Schedule Item	Schedule Item Status	Public Access
Supporting Document	Flesch Certification		Yes
Supporting Document	Application		No
Supporting Document	Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo		No
Supporting Document	Authorization Letter		Yes
Supporting Document	Cover Letter dated 5-12-12		Yes
Form	Amendment to Contract		Yes
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Form Schedule

Lead Form Number: AMEND-07 SAMC(GRP2)

Schedule Item Status	Form Number	Form Type Form Name	Action	Action Specific Data	Readability	Attachment
		Policy/Cont Amendment to ract/Fratern Contract al Certificate: Amendmen t, Insert Page, Endorseme nt or Rider	Initial		0.000	Amendment AMEND-07 SAMC(GRP2) .pdf
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Transamerica Life Insurance Company

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Amendment to Contract/Investment Account Rider/Rider-Separate Accounts/Appendix

Amendment Effective Date: [Month/Day/Year]

Contract Number: [999999] **Plan Name**: [ABC Retirement Plan]

The Contract and any Investment Account Rider; and/or any Rider-Separate Accounts and/or any Appendix ("Contract Documents") attached to the Contract for the Contract Number listed above is amended as follows:

- 1. The term "Investment Management Charge", or Investment Management Fee", as applicable, is deleted from each place it appears in the Contract Documents and in each such instance the term "Separate Account Maintenance Charge" is substituted in its place.
- 2. For Contractholders who have been issued a "Rider-Separate Accounts," the phrase "Schedule of Separate Accounts, Investment Management Charges, and Administrative Charges" is deleted from each place it appears and in each such instance the term "Schedule of Separate Accounts" is substituted in its place.
- 3. Any reference to Separate Account fee reimbursements and related information about such fee reimbursements in the Contract Documents are deleted from each place such reference appears. For Contractholders who have been issued a "Rider-Separate Accounts," within the Schedule of Separate Accounts, previously captioned as the "Schedule of Separate Accounts, Investment Management Charges, and Administrative Charges," columns C, D and E, if applicable, are deleted. Transamerica will continue to reflect the applicable Separate Account Maintenance Charges (previously known as Investment Management Charges) and the applicable Administrative Charges within the Contract Documents.
- 4. If applicable, any provision providing for a Suspense Account and references to the Suspense Account within the Contract Documents are deleted.

This Amendment is part of the Contract Documents as of the Amendment Effective Date and shall not otherwise change, alter or amend the Contract Documents except as stated herein.

Signed by Transamerica Life Insurance Company on the Amendment Effective Date.

Brenda Clancy, President

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Amendment to Contract Amendment Effective Date: [Month/Day/Year]

Contract Number:[999999] **Plan Name**: [ABC Retirement Plan]

The Contract for the Contract number listed above is amended as provided in this Amendment.

For the purposes of crediting interest to the General Account Stable Value Fund, the following provision will control:

Crediting of Interest to the General Account Stable Value Fund. Transamerica guarantees a credited rate of interest on the amounts allocated to the General Account Stable Value Fund. On a semi-annual basis Transamerica declares a guaranteed credited rate that shall apply for a six month period. Transamerica will declare a guaranteed credited rate of interest at six month intervals and at least 45 days in advance of the date the new rate becomes effective. The guaranteed rate of interest shall not change during the six month period for which it is effective. There is no minimum guaranteed interest rate under the Contract for the Stable Value Fund. Interest is credited daily, based on its beginning daily balance, at a rate of interest, which is the daily equivalent of the applicable effective annual rate of interest established.

For the purposes of administering total and partial discontinuance for Contract Accounts established under the Contract currently or for Contract Accounts established in the future as directed by the Contractholder, the following provisions will control for:

- 1. Contractholder requested withdrawals resulting from total and partial discontinuances; and
- Contractholder Transfers from the General Account Stable Value Fund to other investment choices under the contract.

Payment of Contract Discontinuance Value. Subject to the terms of the Contract, upon total discontinuance or partial discontinuance, the value of Contract Accounts is paid as follows:

- 1. **Separate Account stable value products.** The trustees for underlying investments of Separate Account stable value products (not part of Transamerica's General Account), often require 12 months advance notice for withdrawals made as a result of discontinuance unless an earlier withdrawal is approved by the trustee of the underlying investment. The trustee of the underlying investment may have authority to delay payments for a longer period in extraordinary market conditions. Earlier withdrawal may be approved if the trustee of the underlying investment determines that such withdrawal is not detrimental to the best interest of the underlying investment. Upon Advanced Notice of discontinuance, we will give the trustee of the underlying investment advance notice of the withdrawal associated with the discontinuance. The discontinuance payment will be withdrawn on the date permitted by the underlying investment; either at the end of the 12-month notice period or such earlier date as may be allowed for by the trustee of the underlying investment.
- 2. Contract Accounts other than the General Account Stable Value Fund and Separate Account stable value products. Except for the General Account Stable Value Fund described in the Contract, and/or any Separate Account stable value products, the value of Contract Accounts will be paid within 10 Business Days after Advance Notice of total or partial discontinuance is received. Such value will be calculated on the day before the payment is made.
- 3. **General Account Stable Value Fund.** Withdrawals from the General Account Stable Value Fund resulting from total or partial discontinuance will be paid within 30 days from the day we receive Advance Notice of discontinuance. Such value will be calculated on the day before the payment is made. Payments under this provision are subject to the Deferral of Payment or Transfer of General Account Stable Value Fund provision below.

- 4. Contractholder's Direction to Transfer Assets of the General Account Stable Value Fund. The value calculated for transfers from the General Account Stable Value Fund, resulting from the Contractholder directing Transamerica to transfer all or portions of the General Account Stable Value Fund assets to another Contract Account available under the Contract, will be subject to a hold period of up to 270 Business Days after direction is received by us from the Contractholder. If Transamerica declares a guaranteed credited rate that is reduced from the guaranteed credited rate then in effect at the time direction is received by us, such transfer shall be executed within 30 days of the day we receive the transfer request. Transfers under this provision are subject to the Deferral of Payment or Transfer of General Account Stable Value Fund provision below.
- 5. **Deferral of Payment or Transfer of General Account Stable Value Fund.** For the General Account Stable Value Fund, if Transamerica incurs withdrawals and/or receives withdrawal requests equal to or greater than either:
 - a. [1%-20%]of the total assets of all General Account Stable Value Funds and similar-type fixed dollar General Accounts established in the Transamerica Retirement Services division of Transamerica ("TRS Stable Value Accounts") during any consecutive [1-6]month period, or
 - b. [1%-50%] of the total assets of all TRS Stable Value Accounts during any consecutive [6-12]-month period,

and such withdrawals would materially adversely affect the financial condition of the TRS Stable Value Accounts, in Transamerica's reasonable judgment, Transamerica may delay payments and transfers of such assets for all contractholders for up to 12 months (the "Delay Period").

During the Delay Period, withdrawals resulting from total or partial discontinuances and requests to remove and transfer General Account Stable Value Fund assets to another Contract Account, will be delayed for all contractholders invested in the General Account Stable Value Fund until the end of the Delay Period. The Delay Period will be administered on a non-discriminatory basis and will begin for all contractholders invested in the General Account Stable Value Fund on a date specified by Transamerica and end for all contractholders invested in the General Account Stable Value Fund on a subsequent date specified by Transamerica, but no later than 12 months after the start date. If any contractholder selects the General Account Stable Value Fund as a Contract Account after a Delay Period has commenced, such contractholder will be subject to the Delay Period from the date the contractholder selects the General account Stable Value Fund until Transamerica declares that the Delay Period has ended for all contractholders. The Delay Period will not be applied to any transfer or withdrawal requests made within 30 days of our announcement to decrease the six-month guaranteed interest rate for the General Account Stable Value Fund. Transamerica will not reduce the guaranteed interest rate during the Delay Period.

The Contractholder may reject this Amendment in writing at any time prior to the Amendment Effective Date. Absent a rejection prior to the Effective Date, the Contractholder's acceptance of this Amendment, continued deposits to the Contract, or any other Contractholder actions that exercise rights under the Contract shall be construed by Transamerica to indicate consent. Transamerica shall use a similar advance notice process for the delivery of any future amendments and shall construe Contractholder acceptance of any such proposal by similar means. On that basis, the Contract is amended as of the Amendment Effective Date as described above.

This Amendment is part of the Contract as of the Amendment Effective Date and shall not otherwise change, alter or amend the Contract except as stated herein.

Signed by Transamerica Life Insurance Company on the Amendment Effective Date.

Brenda Clancy, President

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Craig D. Vermie, Secretary

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Supporting Document Schedules

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Flesch Certification

Comments:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 23-80-204(b)(3), a Flesch score certification is not being provided as the base contract with which these forms will be used serves as a funding vehicle for pension, profit-sharing or deferred compensation plans.

Attachment:

AR Certificate of Compliance.pdf

Item Status: Status

Date:

Bypassed - Item: Application

Bypass Reason: N/A. This filing consists solely of 2 amendments.

Comments:

Item Status: Status

Date:

Bypassed - Item: Life & Annuity - Acturial Memo

Bypass Reason: N/A. The enclosed amendments do not require the submission of an actuarial memorandum or

actuarial support.

Comments:

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Authorization Letter

Comments:

Attachment: Authorization Letter.pdf

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Cover Letter dated 5-12-12

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AR Cover Letter dated 5-12-12.pdf

CERTIFICATION

- I, <u>Beverly Sanchez</u>, <u>Associate Vice President</u>, <u>Product Development Group</u>, of Transamerica Life Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the forms identified below comply with:
 - Arkansas Rule and Regulation 19, Unfair Sex Discrimination in the Sale of Insurance.
 - Arkansas Rule and Regulation 49, Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Notices.
 - Arkansas Code Annotated § 23-79-138 as provided for in Bulletin 11-88,
 Consumer Information Notice.

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TRANSAMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Beverly Sancher

Beverly Sanchez

Associate Vice President, Product Development Group

Date: May 11, 2012

Name of Form

Form Number

Amendment to Contract Amendment to Contract AMEND-07 SVF(GRP2) AMEND-07 SAMC(GRP2)

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January 6, 2012

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

This letter, or a copy thereof, will authorize Mitchell, Williams, Selig, Gates & Woodyard, P.L.L.C. to represent Transamerica Life Insurance Company in any matters related to the submission of policy forms to your state.

Very truly yours,

Beverly Sanchez

Associate Vice President

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Product Development Group

Transamerica Life Insurance Company



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May 12, 2012

The Honorable Jay Bradford Commissioner of Insurance Arkansas Insurance Department 1200 West 3rd Street Little Rock, AR 72201-1904

Attn: Ms. Linda Bird

RE: TRANSAMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(NAIC No. 86231; FEIN No. 39-0989781)

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Dear Commissioner Bradford:

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TGR-022-197	Rider Separate Accounts Pages 1-6	11/17/1997
TGR-021-194	Diversified Investment Account Rider	12/27/1994
TGP-416-192(DIV)	Diversified Investment Endorsement	12/27/1994
TGP-430-192(Div)	Diversified Investment Endorsement	12/27/1994
TGP-416-194 (PEA)	Protected Equity Account Endorsement	2/21/1996
TGP-430-194 (PEA)	Protected Equity Account Endorsement	2/21/1996
TGP-430-192(T-BAL)	Appendix 1 Balance Investment	5/17/1993
TGR-019-193	Balanced Investment Account Rider	5/17/1993
TGP-416-192(T-BAL)	Appendix 1 Balance Investment Account Rider	5/17/1993
TGR-005-192	Bond Fund Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993
TGR-010-192	Cash Management Fund Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993
TGR-011-192	Equity Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993
TGR-014-192	High Yield Bond Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993
TGR-015-292	Equity Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993
TGR-017-392	Government Fund Investment Account Rider	1/20/1993

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To the best of the Company's knowledge, information and belief, the forms submitted herewith are in compliance in all respects with the provisions of the insurance laws, rules and regulations of your state and such forms contain no provisions previously disapproved by your Department.

The text of all forms is in final print. The Company reserves the right to change the appearance and pagination but not the text of these forms to comply with future changes in print systems. No font will be less than a 10-point font size. The Company also reserves the right to change the color and/or weight of the paper on which these forms are printed and to correct typographical errors without refiling.

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If you have any questions or need anything further to expedite the review and approval of this filing, please contact me at (501) 688-8841 or my paralegal, June Stracener in our Rogers office, at (479) 464-5668. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

MITCHELL, WILLIAMS, SELIG, GATES & WOODYARD, P.L.L.C.

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